## **HOUSE BILL 661**

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AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 55, Chapter 21, relative to certified statements of disability.

## BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-21-113, is amended by designating the existing language as subsection (a) and adding the following as a new subsection (b):

A physical therapist licensed under title 63, chapter 13, has the same authority that a physician has under this part to issue certified statements of disability to accompany the application of persons with disabilities to obtain the appropriate registration, license plates, placards, and decals from the department, as described in this part.

SECTION 2. This act takes effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.